

Resource Conservation and Environmental Protection

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CPR Principles:

Put People First

- Be Accountable & Efficient
- Be Visionary & Innovative
- Be Performance Driven
- Save Taxpayer Dollars

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California's Commitment to the Environment

- Environment at Risk
 - ☐ California is growing at unprecedented rates
 - ☐ Growth impacts all environmental and resource areas
 - ■Need to achieve balance of environment and economic expansion
- Unparalleled commitment to environmental stewardship and public health
 - □\$5.3 billion annually
 - ☐ More than 20,600 personnel
 - □ Voter approved long-term debt over \$11 billion over the past eight years

Current Organization Challenges

- Californians care about their Quality of Life
 - □ Agency Leadership is Committed to a Quality Environmental Protection and Resource Conservation
 - ☐ Citizens are Supportive of a Healthy Environment
- Responsibility and funding scattered among state agencies
 - □ Duplicative and overlapping functions
 - □161 state agencies
 - □ 149 distinct funding sources



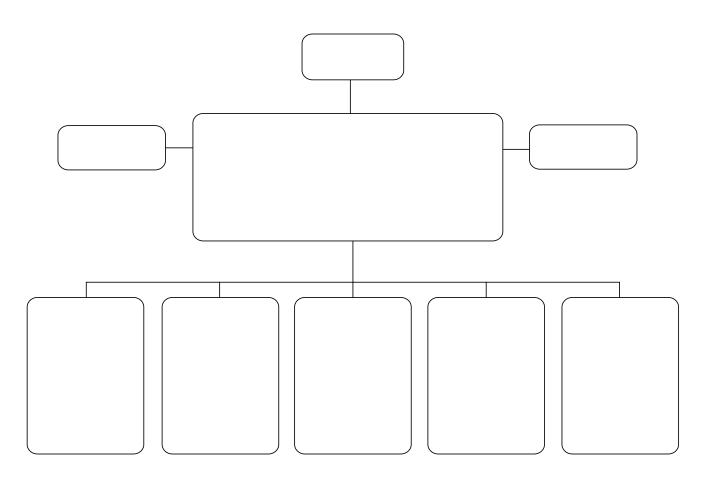
Reorganization Recommendation: Three Departments Based on Function

■ Environmental Protection

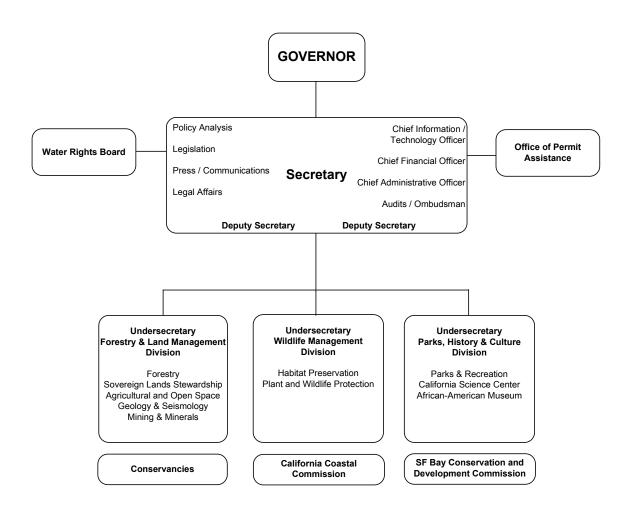
■ Natural Resource Conservation

■ Food and Agriculture

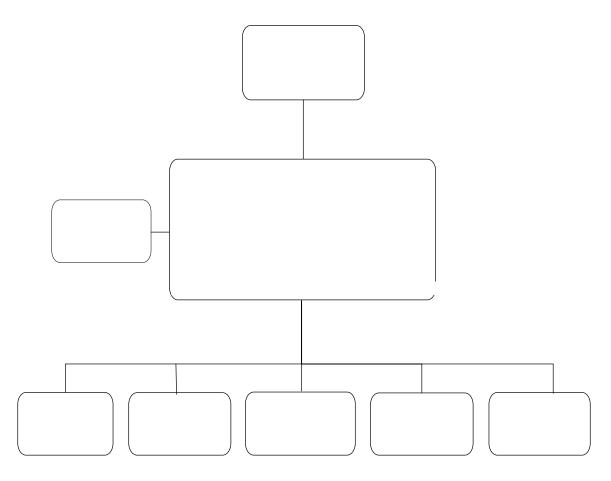
Proposed Environmental Protection Department



Proposed Natural Resources Department



Proposed Food and Agriculture Department





Streamlining and Consolidation for Better Service

- Single point of contact for the public
- Streamline when there is a compelling state interest
- Consolidation of similar program activities
- Utilize online technologies



Making Sense of the Regulatory Process

- Smart Planning Infrastructure and Resources working in harmony
- Reform processes to meet fundamental needs and address public health and environmental risks
- Facilitate interagency cooperation and joint projects



Spending for Results

- Encourage innovative approaches to funding and administration of contaminated urban properties
- Re-focus programs on results and ensure the highest, best use of funding

Resource Conservation and Protection Issues and Recommendations

- 35 Issues
- 58 Recommendations
- \$349.6 million in savings over 5 years

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